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Thaw, The Old Bugaboo, At Snow Carnival

Poster Girl's Mother Appeals

"The State now pays 55 percent of its total fiscal tax revenues back to the cities, counties, towns and school districts of the state in varying forms of State Aid. The payment of such a large share of the state-collected revenue back to localities can not continue to grow and I do not believe it should."

The above quotation has a ring of familiarity. Harry F. Kelly said it in substance, while governor of Michigan. His row with big cities grew out of a determination not to divert additional state funds to municipalities.

Governor Kim Sigler recently declared that "many townships, villages and cities will receive (state aid) money without any relationship to their needs". He referred, of course, to the sales tax diversion amendment whereby 76 percent of the tax revenue will be diverted from the state treasury to local governments.

Familiar as is the above quotation, it was not uttered by Kelly or Sigler. It was taken from the inaugural message which Owosso-born Thomas E. Dewey, governor of New York, delivered to the New York State legislature on January 8, 1947.

And here's another significant fact:

While New York State was paying 55 percent of its total fiscal tax revenues back to home governments, Michigan was paying 59 percent of its total fiscal tax revenues PRIOR to the 1946 November election. With adoption of the 1946 sales tax diversion amendment, the aggregate of ear-marked funds will be raised to 71 percent.

All of which prompts a rhetorical question: If Governor Dewey thinks that the return of 55 percent of the state tax revenue represents the maximum, what would he say if the state of New York were called upon to divert 71 PERCENT leaving only 29 percent available for legislative appropriations? (The latter percentage is taken from the estimates made by State Treasurer D. Hale Brake.)

Governor Dewey does not dispute the need of adequate state aid for public schools. Listen to this: "Obviously, a substantial amount of state aid is necessary so that equal educational opportunities may be provided to the children of poor districts as well as to those with larger assessed valuations. It is also necessary to make possible at the less wealthy communities, the health and social welfare services which should be equally available to all our people and without which the whole people would suffer."

Governor Dewey points out the "fundamental truth" that when a bit of government spends money it has not been raised locally through taxes, the "inevitable" result is "irresponsibility and waste". We have heard Vernon J. Brown make the same sound observation, time and again. It is old-fashioned common sense that the best government is that which is closest to the people and their pocketbooks.

Governor Dewey says that the New York Conference of Mayors, came to much the same conclusion when the conference recommended in a recent report, that the financial needs of the cities and villages be enlarged by granting them "adequate powers to levy other substantial taxes in addition to the state tax. The time is long past when there is any need for a city and each village requiring additional taxing powers or revenue to appeal to the state." Recalling that the financial solution of local governments should be found in their own taxing power not in additional diversion of state funds, Governor Dewey appears to be on the same logical grounds as the mayors of cities and villages. In that respect the New York situation is uniquely different from Michigan.

Michigan taxpayers who look suspect upon the accumulation of surplus funds in the state treasury will be interested to learn that New York's post-war reserve fund is \$617,000,000, exclusive of current surpluses for this fiscal year. John D. Morrison, former Auditor General of Michigan, reported to Michigan taxpayers in a statement published state-wide in newspapers last October, that ear-marked reserve funds on June 30 totaled a little more than \$103,000,000 and that the accumulated surplus (not expended by the legislature) was \$21,532,000.

The numerical difference between New York and Michigan post-war funds is more than four times.

It is the open and avowed policy of Governor Dewey that the state funds should be accumulated for post-war construction and that such construction should be postponed during a period of inflation and prosperity. Here is his recommendation: "It should be a cardinal principle of governmental policies that large scale spending for public improvements ought not to be undertaken at the start of an inflationary period but should rather be preserved so as

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Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Stephan announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Beverly Jean, to Edward A. Lowrie, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Morse, of Grayling. No definite date has been set for the wedding.

County GOP Names Convention Delegates

Monday morning's session of the Crawford County Republican Committee named Earl Burns, Robert Strong and John Selesky as delegates to the State Convention, which will be held in Grand Rapids on February 8.

"All of us have a tremendous task in the fight against polio. No child or adult will be safe until the preventive for this hideous disease is discovered. Nancy's mother, Mrs. Drury, speaks to us all and for us all. She asks that we do our part, not only contributing ourselves, but by telling everyone how her child, like thousands of others, escaped crippling through the help provided by the March of Dimes."

Nancy Drury was stricken when the infantile paralysis epidemic swept through Kentucky in 1944. Nancy is a completely healthy and normal child today. "Only her immediate family can still see traces of the disease which attacked her viciously then as it attacked more than 25,000 Americans last summer in the worst epidemic the nation has known for thirty years.

Little Nancy, like thousands of other polio patients in the nation's hospitals today, received expert attention and modern treatment. The bills—for doctors, nurses, physical therapists and follow-up clinic treatments at the General Hospital in Louisville—were paid in full by the Kentucky Chapter of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis, with funds made available through the March of Dimes. "Without that help, I do not know how we would have managed," Mr. Drury writes. "We were so frightened. First there was the terrible pain and the fear of paralysis as Nancy's little body went stiff and helpless. Then there was the worry—how could we possibly pay for the hospital and the doctors and nurses Nancy needed? To have the money provided by the Kentucky Chapter of the National Foundation was like a miracle. They paid for everything, saw that our child had every chance for recovery."

"We're proud that Nancy was chosen to be the poster girl for the 1947 March of Dimes. She wants to do her part to make sure there will always be help for other children who might need it. Help us to help others. It is our only way of thanking you for the help you gave us through the March of Dimes."

Fire Sweeps Local Photo Studio

Flames swept the Oates Photo darkroom located on Cedar Street last Wednesday evening, completely destroying all negatives, stock and made up photos.

Only cameras, an enlarger and some minor equipment were saved, according to Clifford Oates, the owner. The loss was estimated by him to amount to about \$2,700, which was not covered by insurance. The fire was confined to the darkroom and developing rooms, although the living quarters were somewhat damaged by fire, smoke and chemicals.

Oates was high in his praise of the work of the local firefighters and said: "They did a fine, quiet, efficient job, and without doubt their speed meant the difference between what happened and the loss of the entire building."

Winterizing Resort Facilities Are Needed For The Winter Sports

Winter Sports Fans Want Warmth, Comfort

The tremendous increase in winter sports activities has stimulated resort operators and lodge owners to "winterize" present structures. New construction is being built with an eye to "Old Man Winter".

While vacationers like to enjoy the cold and snow outside, they also like the warmth and comfort of a well-insulated structure at the end of the day. A drafty building with an under-sized heating unit can spoil an otherwise perfect day.

C. A. Gunn, extension agricultural engineer with the tourist and resort service of Michigan State College, has some timely tips that will add comfort to your customer's wintertime vacation.

Eliminate Losses

First, heat losses through cracks can be eliminated by the installation of weather-stripping around doors and windows. Caulking all cracks and other openings with a painter's caulk compound will also reduce losses at these points. Second, reduce the heat loss thru the roof, walls, and floors with insulation. This can be done with either insulation board or the batt

or fill type insulation material between studs or joists. The last point of heat loss, window glass, can be reduced by the installation of storm sash and storm doors.

If these suggestions are carried out, it will permit the use of a smaller heating plant and still give greater comfort. Several types and capacities of space heating equipment can be purchased. The final choice depends upon the size of the building to be heated and the relative cost and availability of the various kinds of fuels.

Space Heaters Best

Space heaters that are placed within a room are easiest to install. The addition of a fireplace, containing a heat circulating unit, not only adds heat to the room, but becomes an attractive interior and exterior feature. All heat equipment using gaseous, liquid or solid fuels should be connected to a chimney by a stovepipe of adequate size and durability.

The small additional cost of these procedures is easily justified through greater comfort for vacationers and tourists. They also mean accommodations that would otherwise be unavailable. The owner also would realize greater income through more use of his facilities.

A.C.S. Names Approved Hospitals

Surmounting the difficulties of post-war shortages of personnel and supplies, 3,118 hospitals in the United States and Canada have qualified for approval following the 29th annual survey completed December 31 by the American College of Surgeons, according to the Approval Number of the College Bulletin just issued. Dr. Irvin Abell of Louisville, President and Chairman of the Board of Regents, commented that in 1946 more was expected in the way of conformance with the requirements than could be required during the war when certain insuperable difficulties prevailed.

For the first time since Hospital Standardization was started by the College in 1918, when only 89 hospitals were approved, there is a decline. Dr. Abell said, in the number of approved hospitals compared with the previous year. In 1945 the total was 3,181 approved, or 63 more than on December 31, 1946.

Among the 108 Michigan hospitals approved was the Grayling Mercy Hospital. The American Medical Association has 257 Michigan hospitals registered, of which 139 underwent the American College of Surgeons survey. Thirty-three were rejected.

The Keggers lost a rough game to the East Jordan team at that town a week ago Monday, but bounced back last Wednesday to hand Charlevoix its first defeat of the season by a 28 to 22 count. The Legion lost its game that night to Lewiston by a slim margin. The scoring by both local clubs was quite evenly divided among the players.

Grayling Seniors Present Annual Class Play

The Senior Class, under the direction of Mrs. Roy Milnes, is now practicing for the Senior Play, "Act Your Age", which will be given Thursday, February 6, 1947, at 8:00 p.m., in the Grayling High School Auditorium. This is the same class which last year presented "A Little Honey", enjoyed so much by everyone.

The cast includes:

Angelica Goetz ... Emily Giegling

Geraldine Juice ... Jackie Harwood

Cora ... Rose Bishaw

Archibald Huffenfugel ... Edwin Carlson

Helga ... Sandra Stone

Sandra Stone ... Iris Madsen

James Matson ... Philip Keway

Western Union Girl ... Roseanne Kearney

Commander Stone ... Harry Miller

Stage Manager ... Caroline Nelson

Tickets will be on sale Monday

and may be obtained from any Senior. Prices are 35c for students and 50c for adults. Seats

may be reserved at Mac's Drug Store for 10c.

This year there will be but one performance instead of the usual two, so all lower grade students must plan on attending the evening performance.

In the play, the two 14-year-old girls get themselves secretly engaged to sailors whom they have never seen. Aunt Sandra, who comes to stay with them while their parents are vacationing, decides to correct the state of affairs. The results are much complication, suspense and, most of all, fun for both audience and players. In the final act everything straightens out nicely with everyone happy.

The Seniors promise you a very enjoyable evening—so don't miss it.

Hero is another phase of the famous Grayling Winter Sports story. Spouting for fish through the ice-on-area-lakes and certain sections of streams affords extreme pleasure to many. It certainly did for Mary Gierke, 16, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Gierke of Grayling on Sunday, January 19, when she spoured this 15½-pound, 38 inches long Great Northern pike at the Power Dam on the AuSable River, near Grayling. Mary spoured the huge pike about 4 o'clock in the afternoon. She began her ice spouting at the age of 10—back in 1942.

NOTICE

M. A. Theobald, War Assets Administration Specialist, will be at the Court House Tuesday morning, February 4.

Unseasonable Weather Fails To Stop Most Of Events

Detroit Girl Is Named As The 1947 Michigan Snow Queen

Keggers Enter The Roscommon Tourney

The Grayling Keggers, sponsored by Spike's Keg O' Nails, are entered in the Roscommon Invitational Independent Tourney which will take place there on February 5, 6, 7 and 8.

Besides the Keggers and the host team, Gladwin, Harrison, Houghton Lake, Indian River, Kalkaska and McBain have entered teams. Two games are scheduled for each of the four nights of the tournament and the referees for the games are R. Templin of Sterling and H. Ullmann of Standish.

The Grayling Tournament, jointly sponsored by the Keggers and the Grayling Legion team is scheduled for later in February.

Munn, McLaughlin Do Crowning Honors

Although the old winter sports bugaboo, thaw, was on hand for the 1947 Grayling Winter Sports Carnival, nearly all events were carried out and the over 11,000 who visited the big snow recreation center west of the city over the three-day weekend had fun anyway.

The warm, melting weather caused the closing of the toboggan

Provide Assistance On Income Tax

A Deputy Collector of the Internal Revenue Department will be at the Crawford County Court House from 9 a.m. until 5 p.m. next Tuesday, February 4, to render assistance and advice on the filing of income tax returns.

There is no charge for this service. It is pointed out that although most taxpayers made substantial payments on their tax through withholding from their wages, they are still required to file annual returns on or before March 15.

Defeat Pellston; Meet Bucks Friday

The Grayling Green Wave defeated a strong Pellston team here Friday night by a score of 47 to 37, with Chuck Feldhauser racking up 15 points.

The local boys dropped in 21 field goals and five foul shots for their total score, while Pellston made but 16 field goals and five charity points. Dick Miller and Phil Koway each scored 10 points, and Ed Carlson added 8 and Les Goss 4. Shorter led Pellston with 14 points.

The local team held a 23 to 16 advantage at halftime and added 10 points in the third period and 14 more in the final canto.

The Reserves dropped their contest by a 24 to 19 count. Clare Burns led the locals with 7 points, while Earl Rasmussen added 5 more. Owens 4 and Holm 2, with Hanson making a free shot. Stark led the Pellston seconds with 9 points.

Pellston held a 11 to 9 advantage at half time and added another 3 points to their lead during the last half of the game.

The five candidates for the title of Michigan Snow Queen marched around the basketball floor during the half of the varsity game and were given a big ovation by the crowd.

The Gerrish-Higgins Bucks from Roscommon will invade the local gym this Friday night for their varsity and reserve tussle with the Wave. Their last meeting was on December at Roscommon, where the Grayling boys trampled the Bucks by a 33 to 29 score.

The Grayling Reserves lost to the Roscommon Fawns that night by a 21 to 18 count. Feldhauser scored 19 points against Roscommon in that contest, and the Bucks will undoubtedly be out to hold him down on scoring. Next Tuesday, February 4, the Wave will travel to Charlevoix to make up the game with the Raiders which was postponed because of weather conditions.

Immediately following the reception, the bridal couple left for a honeymoon trip to West Virginia. For traveling, Mrs. Kinden wore a light blue wool crepe suit, white blouse, corsage of white roses, and black accessories.

Preceding the ceremony, the parents of the bride and bridegroom were seated at a rehearsal dinner at their home for the wedding party and families of the bride and bridegroom.

Upon their return, the couple will take up their residence in Highland Park, where Mr. Kinden, an ex-serviceman, is attending college.

Attention, Vets!

February 1 is the deadline on reinstating your G. I. Insurance, according to Legion Post officials.

If you wish to keep this low cost insurance in force, you should take steps immediately to reinstate yourself if you have not already done so.

Prosecuting Attorney Robert Neafie has full information on the steps to be taken and the answers to what you may do with your insurance such as increasing or decreasing it. He states that he is willing to aid any serviceman in reinstating his insurance.

Remember, tomorrow is the final day on which you may do this. Better see about it today. It is not necessary to take a physical examination.

PLEADS GUILTY TO DRIVING CHARGE

Freud Manchester pleaded guilty to his second reckless driving offense within two months before Justice Emil Giegling last Thursday afternoon and paid a fine of \$50.00 and costs of \$4.00.

He was arrested Wednesday night on the charge by Officer George Bielak.

runs and ice rink in the afternoon of all three days, and downhill runs on skis were fast and good, providing enjoyment for thousands. Others hiked thru the still snow-covered hills and woods on snow shoe and by path, watched others ski, and sometimes, piled up.

The three holidays got off to a fast start with all types of winter activities at the park on Friday

and a Queen's banquet in the evening at which Michigan State College

WANT ADS

TELEPHONE 3111

RATES—Advertisements in this department cost 35 cents for 35 words or less for each insertion. For more than 35 words one cent a word for each insertion. Rates for display advertising in the classified columns on application. Orders by mail should be accompanied by cash or postage stamps. An extra charge of 10c will be made for blind ads and if it is necessary to bill for an advertisement that has been charged.

The Want Ad Department closes for each week's edition at 5:30 P. M. on Tuesday.

ROCK WOOL INSULATION—Blown in, guaranteed not-to-settle. Makes a structure more comfortable both summer and winter. Apply Box B, Avalanche Office for further information.

AUCTIONEER—New in this locality, but not to auctioneering. Have had plenty of experience. "I can do the job." Try me." Ves E. Spencer. See Jess H. Underwood at South Branch Ranch, Roscommon, Michigan. Jan. 2-May 1

SLAB WOOD for Sale—Approximately 4 cords, \$10.00 per load. Phone 4436. Stanley Madson. 5-16-1f

PLASTERERS!—Are you interested in a year's job? Room provided on the campus at \$2.50 per week. Call E. E. Basil Co., c/o Christman Co., 8-3593, Lansing, Michigan. 1/2 bt

RADIO SERVICE—All work guaranteed. Drop penny card to Kermit A. LaMotte, Rural Route, Grayling. 6 miles South on US-27. 23-30-6-13

WANTED—Muskrat Hides. Top prices for any and all. Write to Grossman's Department Store, Muskegon, Michigan. We will pick up. No shipping. 5-12-19-26-2-9-16-23-30

FOR SALE—Lumber, Cabin Slabs and Stove Wood, 5 miles North of Luerne, at Buck Horn Inn. 23-30-6

BRICKLAYERS!—Are you interested in a year's job? Room provided on campus at \$2.50 per week. All inside work. Call Christman Co., 8-3593 Lansing. 1/2 bt

WANTED TO BUY—In Crawford or nearby county, household appliances, hardware or wholesale distributing business. Also interested in piece of lake or stream property. Must be priced right. Contact J. L. Stinson, Box 471, Drayton Plains, Mich. 16-23-30-6

FOR SALE—New Loom at 308 Mikado. Call evenings. 16-23-30

FOR SALE—Ladies' Black Kenwood Blanke Coat, size 15. Ind. at 507 Ogemaw St. 30

OIL BURNERS—All makes. Immediate delivery. Easy terms. STAN'S, 312 Tuscola St., Saginaw, Mich. 30

BUZZ WORK wanted to do with portable rig. No job too large or too small. A. M. Hunt, R. 2, Roscommon. 12 miles south of Grayling. 30

LIVING ROOM SUITE and matching Chair in good condition, for sale cheap. Phone 4154. 30

FOR SALE—Plymouth 2-door Sedan. Inq. Barton Wakeley. 30

FOR SALE—1939 Plymouth Deluxe coupe. Excellent condition. Inquire at Ford Garage. 30

FOR SALE—1938 Ford in good condition. Radio, heater, defroster, 5 new tires. John Wareham, North Shore of Houghton Lake or inquire Bennett's Electrical Shop. 30

DEALERS WANTED—To handle Garage, Cabin and Utility building, delivered in sections of all-seasoned lumber. Easily adapted for lake cottages. Attractive offer to parties financially able to handle. Write Red-Bit Distributors, Inc., Box 876, Lansing, Michigan. 30

SNOW SHOES—This is our second carload of Government War Surplus Snow Shoes. These are brand new. Made extra strong for the Army. Have three cross braces. Trail type models. Size 10 by 58 inches. Price \$6.75 post paid by insured mail. A real bargain. Snow Shoe Harness, \$1.00 per set. Send Money Order to Frank Smatlak, Rice Lake, Wisconsin. No. C.O.D. please. 30-6

SPECIAL NOTICE—The early or later discounts expire midnight, Jan. 31. Call, write or phone your baby chick order TODAY. Sterling Poultry Farm & Hatchery, Sterling, Michigan. 30

OLD BATTERIES WANTED—Any condition. Six-fold \$1.25. Glass Batteries 50c; will pay 5½ cents per lb. for lead. Parson & Lamm. Bring in Saturday, Feb. 1. Roy Newberry. 30

LOST—Bulova Wrist Watch with gray band, in Grayling on Sunday. Reward. Return to Avalanche Office. 30

NOTICE—AuSable Trucking, general contracting, sand and gravel, landscaping, wrecker service. Bernard Fowler, phone 4138. 30

WANTED—Someone interested in riding to Florida about February 1 and sharing expenses; or a ride to Florida with someone who is leaving about that date. Charles Corwin, Grayling. 30

For Rent
Lost or Found
For Sale
Wanted to Buy
Miscellaneous

Friday, four new cheer leaders were chosen by five members of the Student Council, who judged the qualities of the candidates. Cynthia Stephan and Harriett Dykehouse from the Sophomore Class and Marlene Jenson and Beverly McClung were picked from the freshmen. These girls will practice and be ready to replace the senior girls next year.

BAND—The "Tag Day" was very successful. Mrs. Carl Richardson was in charge of the Band students who sold the tags.

Two members of the beginning band, Christine Sales and Sue Giegling, joined the Pep Band.

Five more instruments have been received. These include one flute, 3 clarinets and one oboe.

MARCH OF DIMES

The March of Dimes is under full steam throughout the school. The rooms are doing their best to surpass last year's total and the staff is making its contribution.

Boy and Girl Scouts are co-operating with the Rialto Theatre by buying special containers between shows. The following have volunteered and wish to thank the Theatre management for the free show that goes with the job: B. Worden, J. Case, M. Marshall, D. Hanson, T. Hilton, J. Darrach, P. Brown, J. Kolkka, J. Bond, J. Randolph, R. Decker, B. Nelson, P. Bishaw, S. Giegling, C. Sales, N. Hoesli, P. Berry, P. Milks, S. Smith, J. Hardwood, R. Hunter, G. Granger, R. Souders, L. Nolan, W. Morenci, H. Millikin, C. LaGrow, V. Lazarowicz, S. Gross, J. Failing, S. Bishaw and D. Decker.

HOT DOGS

The Seniors have been busy selling hot dogs and pop. They were busy three nights last week.

Intramural Big Six League Results, Standings

The Intramural team, Illinois, took over the lead in the six-team league by winning their third straight game without any losses. They defeated Northwestern by a 13 to 2 score at the gym Monday night.

In the other two games, Ohio defeated Wisconsin by a 14 to 3 count, while Michigan was the victor over Minnesota by a 16 to 8 score.

Michigan will meet Northwestern, Illinois takes on Wisconsin, and Ohio faces Minnesota in the next round of the league, Monday night, February 3.

The league standings are:

Team	Won	Lost
Illinois	3	0
Northwestern	2	1
Michigan	1	2
Wisconsin	1	2
Ohio	1	2
Minnesota	0	3

IT IS ORDERED that the defendant enter her appearance in said cause on or before three months from the date of this Order, and that within forty days the plaintiff cause this Order to be published in the Crawford Avalanche, a newspaper published and circulated within said county, said publication to be continued once each week for six weeks in succession.

John C. Shaffer, Circuit Judge.

A True Copy.
Leo E. Lovely,
Clerk of Circuit Court,
Crawford County, Michigan.
30-6-13-20-27-6

STATE OF MICHIGAN
The Probate Court for the County of Crawford

At a session of said court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Grayling, in said County, on the 28th day of January, 1947.

Present, Honorable Ray F. Clement, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Frank R. Deckrow, Deceased.

It appearing to the Court that the time for presentation of the claims against said estate should be limited and that a time and place be appointed to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against said deceased by and before said Court;

It is Ordered, That all of the heirs at law and all of the creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said Court at said Probate Office on or before the 1st day of April, 1947, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, said time and place being hereby appointed for the examination and adjustment of all claims and demands against said deceased.

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, once in each week for three weeks consecutively, previous to said day of hearing, in the Crawford Avalanche, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

Ray F. Clement,
Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy)

Ray F. Clement,
Judge of Probate. 30-6-13-20

Northern Lights

ASSEMBLY

Dr. Van Zandt, noted pianist and former student of the great Ignacy Paderewski, gave an hour's program for the students of grades 5 to 12 last Friday morning. Dr. Van Zandt played some numbers and told of the artists who wrote them. He also compared some of the newer piano selections with those of an earlier day.

During the noon hour, Dr. Van Zandt was a guest at the hot lunch program. He complimented the cook, Mrs. McLeod, on her cooking.

The Seniors liked the assembly program so much that they asked Dr. Van Zandt to give a public performance on Tuesday night.

SENIOR PLAY

Due to the postponed basketball game at Charlevoix, the Senior play was set back to Thursday night, Feb. 8, instead of Wednesday, Feb. 5. Practice is progressing nicely and the class promises us a good play.

CHEER LEADERS

As a special pep meeting last

Maple Forest

Mr. and Mrs. John Peterson and children, of Mt. Pleasant, spent a couple days here visiting their respective families.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Feldhauser of Grayling spent Sunday with the Ed Feldhausers.

Several ice-houses have been filled. The ice is over 18 inches in depth, the thickest in years.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Papenfus and children, of Roscommon, were guests of the Roy Papenfus family last Wednesday.

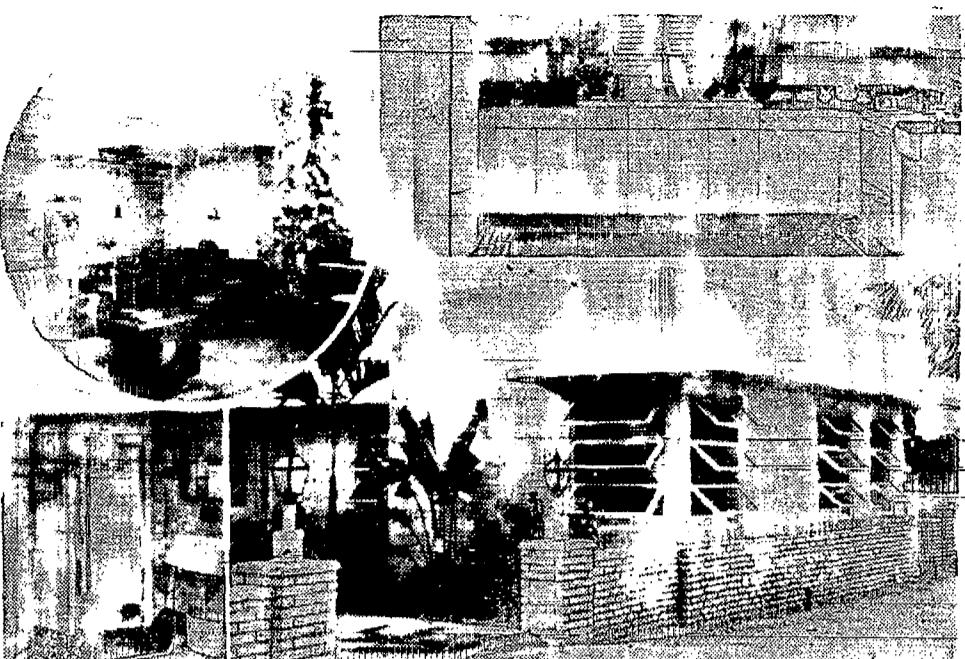
The Hemming Petervsons are having a new oil furnace installed.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Owen were home from Lansing for the week-end.

Mrs. Roy Papenfus attended a Bible Conference at Onaway, Fri.

Herbert Olson and son Jimmy, of Grayling, spent Sunday with the Joe Olsons.

Stanley Hummel attended an



HOME OF TOMORROW FOR TODAY . . . How awning windows lend distinction to the modern home is shown in this attractive example of the modern home. Originally favored in the South, use of awning windows has spread rapidly to all parts of the country. Interior views of the modern home, as shown above, are part of display of the Association of Home Builders exposition at Chicago. Prospective homeowners are demanding cabinet showers in the house of tomorrow for today.

A. A. A. meeting at Gaylord, Sat. 1/26

Wade's Cabin Court 26 23 33
Altes Lager 23 25 32
Tuft's Texaco 24 24 31
Kaiser's Bar 21 27 30
Crawford Avalanche 22 26 29
Bertl's Mobilgas 23 25 28
Spike's Keg O' Nails 20 28 26
Little George's 18 30 23
Grayling Restaurant 14 34 18

Harold Jarmin's 3-game series of 613 was high for the week, while a single game of his tied with a similar effort of Carl Nass. Jarmin's 3-game series is also the high for the season, while a 268 single game by Al Cherven is the best rolled so far this year.

Cherven still leads the average with 178, followed by Jarmin with 173 and Roy Milnes with 172. Dave Cook is fourth with 170 and Sam Rasmussen is fifth with 169. Sixth place is held by Al Carrieweau with 167, with Doc Martzowka and Larry Galehouse dividing seventh with 166 each. Carl Nass holds eighth with 165, with Charley Panefus in ninth with 164 and Johnny Johnson in tenth with 163.

A & P Expands 'Ad' List By 1,000 Papers

An experimental plan of placing company advertising in at least one newspaper in every city or town in which it has a store has been put into effect by A & P Food Stores, C. Wall, vice-president in charge of the company's Grand Rapids unit, which serves this area, announced today.

The advertising, entitled "Marketing with Marjorie", is newsy and chatty in form and will appear every other week in more than 900 papers throughout the country to tell consumers about the famous quality brands to be found in A & P stores.

"A & P has always strongly believed in the selling power of newspaper advertising," Wall declared. "The best proof is that we have been using approximately 2,000 newspapers regularly to carry our message to the public and with the total of present additions the list has been increased to 3,000."

Some of the copy of this new type advertising will describe the quality of the products and other ads will give hints on how to use these foods to make more tempting and tastier dishes. Ads are aimed at the housewife, although the quality angle is expected to be of great interest to men shoppers, whose number increased greatly during the war.

Up to now, retail food advertising has been devoted, for the most part, to listing the prices of various foods. Thus this column, which makes no attempt to include prices, is a marked departure from the usual practice of most food companies.

"Since it is new and different, 'Marketing with Marjorie' is being tried on an experimental basis," Wall said.

Grayling Bowling League

WOMEN'S DIVISION

Team	W	L	Pts
Jarmin's	41	20	47
Porath's	30	27	42
Long's	32	25	40
Doret's	29	28	38
Sorenson's	28	29	38
Dawson's	27	30	35
Hanson's	24	33	33
Olson's	22	35	29

Erma Burkh's 187 was the high single game for the week but still did not threaten Clara Sorenson's 189, which is the high single game rolled this season. Margrethe Nielsen's 459 was the high 3-game series for the week, while Erma's 522 is the high 3-game total for the year.

Erma Burkh's 144 still led the average list, with Fern Akers, Ann Car

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Grayling, Michigan, Thursday, January 30, 1940.

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**Interesting Events In
Grayling 23 Years Ago**

INTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM THE FILES OF THE AVALANCHE OF 23 YEARS AGO

(January 31, 1917)

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Cameron are happy over the arrival of a son, born Friday morning, January 25, at Mercy Hospital. The little boy will be known as Owen.

Word from Flint announces the birth of a son, Robert Edwin, to Mr. and Mrs. Allyn Papendick on January 24. Mrs. Papendick was Miss Amanda Force, a former teacher in the Grayling schools.

Miss J. Eleanore Anderson, who with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Anderson, of Saginaw, moved to Portland, Oregon, last summer, has opened a dancing school there, of which she is the instructor.

Eno Milnes, a well known Grayling boy, has been appointed freight agent at the local office.

Andy Hart has had a fine new radio installed in his home on Michigan Ave. Frank Teter did the installing.

Lyle Bennett and Elmer Fenton left Monday night for Flint to seek employment.

Wayne Ewalt has been on the sick list for several days, thus leaving the Avalanche force short of a perfectly good printer's devil.

Mrs. Edith Lewis underwent an operation at Mercy Hospital, Wednesday afternoon. She is getting along nicely.

Erick Rosenstand, oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. John B. Rosenstand, returned Tuesday of last week from Harper Hospital, where he underwent an operation for mastoiditis.

Comm. John Baird of the State Game department assures us that there will be a spring drive made in the AuSable River upon the pike. This will be done in the interest of ridding the stream of this vicious destroyer of trout.

Benny and Ernest Jorgenson returned this week from Pequaming in the Upper Peninsula, the lumber mill where they were employed having closed down.

John Yull of Vanderbilt was the guest of Miss Lillian Ziebell for the Danish dancing party Saturday night.

Maple Forest (Too late for last week's edition) The Vaughn Weavers have gone to Buchanan, taking Mrs. Weaver there for medical attention.

Art Bigham and Clyde Smith are working at Vanderbilt.

Archie Howse has been tearing down the barn on the Fox place, near Bear Lake, having purchased it for rebuilding on his farm.

The Rudolph Feldhausers were guests of Martha Peterson last Sunday.

Keith Babbitt and Bob Owen are taking flying lessons.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Parsons attended a supper at Shoppenago Inn in honor of Joe Kesseler, who was married recently.

Ada Giffen Slovacik was a guest of Dora Feldhauser, Sunday.

Ray Papenpus, Stanley Hummel and Ted Baynham, made a trip to Traverse City, Thursday.

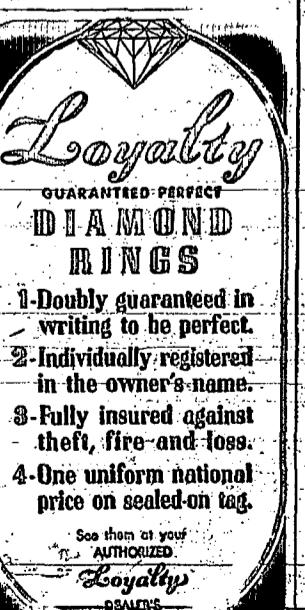
The Richard Babbitts have a new John Deere "B" tractor.

Clarence Dobson hung new doors on our Town Hall last week.

The AuSable Home Extension Group graciously entertained the other Crawford County groups, Wednesday evening.

Maple Forest was well represented by the following:

Ethel Hummel, Emma Howse, Martha Peterson, Christine Feldhauser, Lindall Bears, Peggy Dobson, Mabel Armstrong, Mary Hummel, Pearl Babbitt, Josephine Owen, Jean Owen, Opal Hamblin, Hattie Woodburn and Carrie Baynam.

**DAVIS JEWELRY**

home with her new daughter.

Betty Bigham is staying at Kuhlman's in Frederic.

Ernest Winston, who is employed in Lansing, spent the weekend with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Howse, Joyce and Lila were in Traverse City, Wednesday.

Wayne Winston is ill.

Ice-cutting has started on Jones Lake.

Doctor Deplores Northern Area Lack of Hygiene

"A child born today has prospects of living to a ripe old age," Dr. Mark Osterlin told a PTA group at a Traverse City meeting last week.

Dr. Osterlin is well known here, as he frequently visits Grayling to handle the children's clinic.

Dr. C. E. Lemen was moderator of the gathering, introducing Dr. Osterlin, who discussed preventive medicine and its achievements; and Dr. E. F. Sladek, who presented measures being taken to insure medical care for everyone.

Deplorable hygienic and social conditions in too many homes located in the 30 Northern Michigan

counties where he works as child health director for the local Children's Clinic were scored by Dr. Osterlin as preventable by community effort.

Too many families, either in or close to the Traverse City area, know so little about nutrition they

are eating bean soup three times a day, it was brought out.

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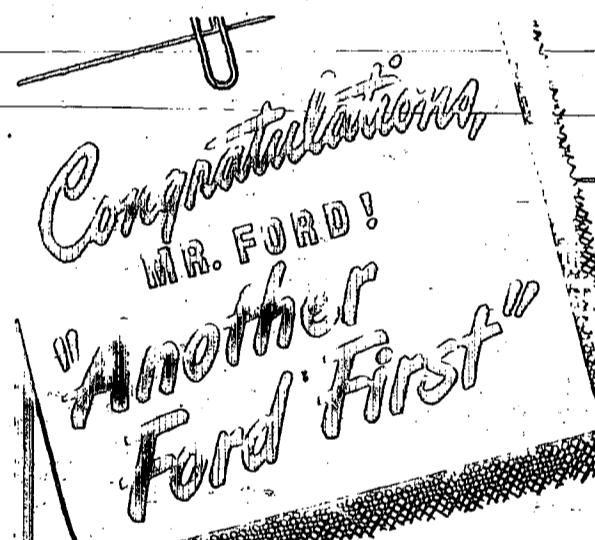
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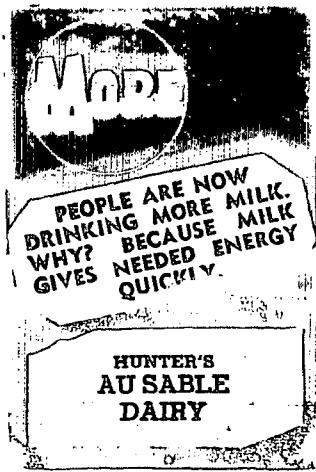
We are proud too, that the Ford Motor Company was the only automobile manufacturer which did not increase prices of cars after decontrol last Fall.

Like the Ford Motor Company we have decided that now is the time for us to make an investment in the future.

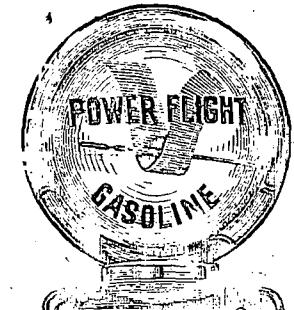
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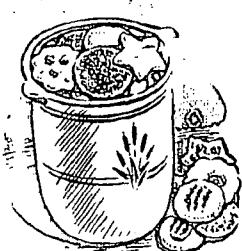
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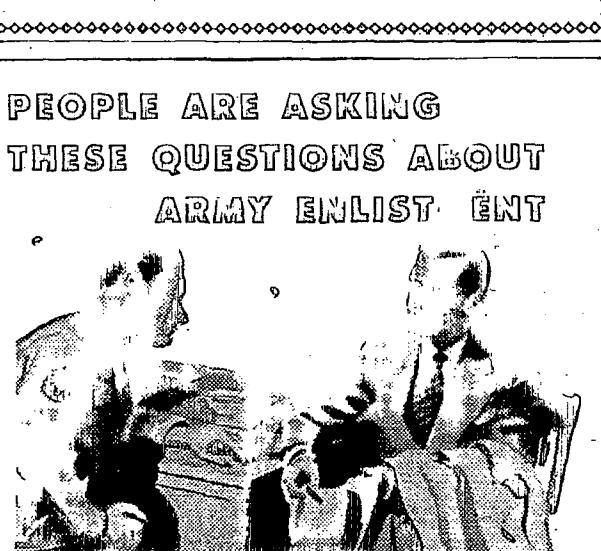
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PEOPLE ARE ASKING THESE QUESTIONS ABOUT ARMY ENLISTMENT

Q. What educational benefits do I get under the GI Bill of Rights?

A. If you serve honorably on active duty for a period of 90 days, one day of which is served between September 16, 1940, and the date of termination of the present war, or you are discharged because of an actual service-incurred injury or disability incurred within that first 90-day period of service, you are, upon discharge, entitled to one year of education in the college, trade or business school of your choice for which you can qualify. In addition, each month of active duty, including the first three, prior to the termination of the war, entitles you to another month of post-service education, up to 48 months.

Your tuition, laboratory fees, etc., up to \$500 per ordinary school year will be paid by the government. Also, you will receive \$65 a month living allowance; \$90 a month if you have dependents.

Q. What about family allowances?

A. For men enlisting or reenlisting now, family allowances will continue until six months after the war is officially ended.

Q. What are my chances of going overseas?

A. If you enlist for 3 years, you may select to serve in any overseas theater which has openings, especially Japan or Korea.

Q. Can I still choose the branch of service I want to serve in?

A. Yes. You can pick any branch which has quotas to be filled, if you enlist for 3 years.

Q. Is there any way I can reenlist in my old grade?

A. Yes, you can, if you reenlist for a 3-year term within 20 days after your honorable discharge.

Q. Is there any other way I can reenlist to grade?

A. Yes, if you held one of certain military occupational specialties, and were discharged on or after May 12, 1945, you can reenlist in a grade depending on the length of time you held the desired M. O. S.

Write your nearest U. S. Army Recruiting Station for answers to other questions you may have, or for further details on the above questions.

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ATOM-SMASHING BY COSMIC RAYS SOUGHT . . . Nobel prize winner Dr. Carl D. Anderson, seated, testing atom-smashing equipment, while Dr. Robert Brode, cosmic ray expert, looks on at ground laboratory, Inyokern, Calif. World's leading physicists have taken their laboratories into the stratosphere for the first time to seek answers to atom-smashing by cosmic rays. B-29 bombers were used to take scientists to 40,000 foot altitude.

Ida Lupino, currently starring in "The Big Broadcast," is shown in a scene from her new CBS radio show.

ODDS AND ENDS— Mr. and Mrs. Chuck Rogers, who won \$5,790 on "Break the Bank" almost didn't go to the broadcast; he said he was too tired to go, but Mrs. Rogers talked him into it. . . . The Walter O'Keefe "Little Show," set for CBS, will ban studio audiences and give the time taken up by applause to added entertainment.

Radio across Lurene Tuttle, frequently heard on "Suspense" and "Hollywood Players," is getting a big build-up from her film studio for her first screen appearance in "Heaven Only Knows" . . . The new "March of Time" is "Nobody's Children"; it deals with the adoption situation.

JIMMY CARROLL

her studio bosses sort of worried. She's talking about sailing her 42-foot yawl to Hawaii when the picture's finished—and she has a habit of doing what she says she's going to do!

While Ray Milland was in London for that Royal Command Film Festival he turned columnist; did four articles on his impressions of the city, where he was a member of the Royal Horse Guards before he came to America and headed for Hollywood.

When Bob Hope finishes "Road to Rio" (which he's doing with Bing and Dorothy Lamour, of course) he's booked for "Pale Face." A travesty of the usual Old West pictures, it'll show that in those days life wasn't all hardships and pioneering.

When you see "Saigon" you'll see Alan Ladd playing sit-down scenes that weren't in the original script. During a tense moment shared by Veronica Lake he hit his leg against the sharp corner of a table and chipped his knee bone—couldn't walk, after that, without grimacing with pain. And this tale of adventure and romance didn't call for Ladd to make faces, so he acts sitting down.

Millions of people hear her sing every Tuesday night over NBC, on the Bob Hope show, but only a few friends know that Pauline Byrnes is the "Miriam-Irium" girl of the show's singing commercials. She's pretty, blue-eyed, dark-haired, balls from Yakima, Wash.

Lurene Tuttle, who's appeared on the air opposite nearly every top male movie star, makes her film debut in "Heaven Only Knows," which stars Robert Cummings and Brian Donlevy. She's done more than 3,000 broadcasts since coming to Hollywood in 1937.

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Dear Editor:

I thought the following would be of interest to the readers of the Avalanche:

In the press conference at Dearborn, January 15, Henry Ford II made the following statement that reflects company decision on matters basically important to national economy:

"Although more than one million of our customers are waiting for delivery of their cars at present prices, we are immediately reducing the price of every Ford car some models as much as \$50."

"This is our 'down payment' toward a continued high level of production and employment in the months ahead. We believe that the 'shock treatment' of prompt action is needed to halt the insane spiral of mounting costs and rising prices and to restore a sound base for the hopeful period of post-war production we are now entering."

"Let me review briefly the considerations which have led us to take this important step."

"The Ford Motor Company is in the mass production business. Mass production depends upon large markets. It will continue to succeed only if it can produce more and more at lower and lower cost so that more and more people can buy. Large markets begin to disappear when prices rise."

"The un-American spiral of mounting costs and rising prices has hurt everybody—some groups more than others. Many have not benefited from post-war wage increases, but have had to share the burden of resulting higher prices."

"Already, millions of American families are unable to buy the things which, in normal times, make up their standard of living."

"In the short view, we can see inflation. In the long view, there is danger of depression."

"The period since V-J day has been an unhappy and costly period of reconversion to peacetime production. Ford Motor Company has lost millions of dollars since V-J day, even after all tax adjustments."

"But the crisis of this wild aftermath of war seems to have been passed. Our own production, though still limited by material shortages, is now steadier. Productivity of our employees, which hit a new low during the period, seems to have started its return to normal. Ford Motor Company made a modest profit for the last three months of 1946, and we intend to continue to operate in the black."

"The American economy now stands at the turning point. Mounting costs and rising prices have warranted caution and hesitancy. There is even general fear that this dangerous, un-American cycle can not be corrected without an economic recession. We thing this fear can be dispelled by common sense and action. And among free men that becomes an individual responsibility."

"The Ford Motor Company therefore proposes to accept its losses since V-J day as an item of the cost of a great and victorious war. We are closing our books on that phase of our production history. We have decided that now is the time for us to make an investment in the future."

"Because they must build up depleted cash reserves or because they are still losing money, many businesses may not be able to follow suit. But we hope that our suppliers, our employees, and our other economic partners, will back each to his own ability, our attempt to return to the economic pattern which has helped to make America great—the principle that higher wages and a higher standard of living for all depend upon lower costs and lower prices through increasingly efficient large-scale production."

"We hope, as we move forward, that we will be able to reduce prices further, and that we will not be forced to raise them again to compensate for cost increases."

Fred C. Welsh.

On November 14 we left Grayling, Mich., for our trip to Oatman, Arizona. The first night we only got as far as Three Rivers, Mich.; camped there for the night, then started on again. Our route led us through South Bend, Indiana. We got as far as Rochester, Indiana. (Continued on Page 5)

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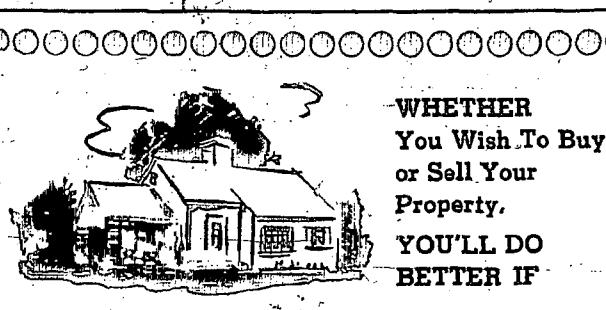
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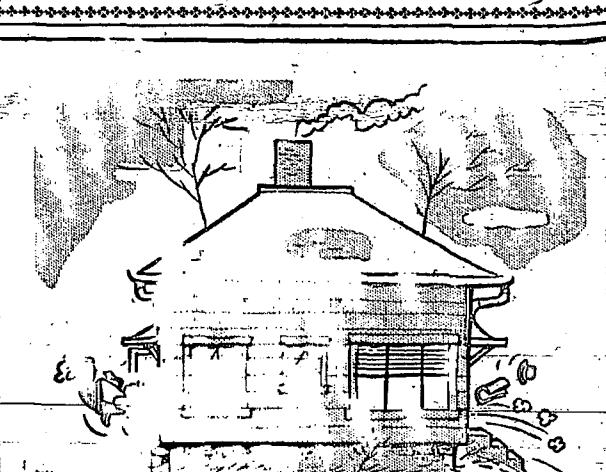
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Letters To Editor

ana, and stayed there all afternoon and night, then went on into Illinois. Stayed there one night, then next day we crossed the Mississippi River, where we had to pay bridge toll; then we came to Missouri. Passed through winding roads through the Ozarks; we got clear across Missouri before night. We stayed at Fort Scott, Kansas, all night in a lovely cabin. Then in the morning we started on and didn't get through Kansas that

night, but had to stay at Pratt, Kansas, all night. The prices are much lower in Kansas and Missouri than any state we hit.

We left Pratt early and got as far as Texhoma, Okla., and stayed there all night, where we had to fix the water system on our car. Then in the morning it was a cold bright day. We came through a small portion of Texas, and stayed that night in a cabin in New Mexico, near a ranch called "Longhorn". We stopped in Albuquerque part of forenoon. We didn't get so far that day; camped by a garage, still in New Mexico. We passed through Gallup, New Mexico, then into Arizona. Camped along Highway 66, by a gas station and store for the night. The people there want us to stop on our way back in the Spring, as they want Bob to help them catch some animals alive; they want to have a roadside zoo.

Then we traveled on and were about 10 miles from Flagstaff, Arizona, and Bob had to catch a ride into Flagstaff and have a wrecker come out and pick us up. So I sat in the car while he went. It was snowing and raining. We arrived in Flagstaff and Bob got me a room for a week and a half, and he went by bus to Oatman, Ariz., where he helped Buddy Fox get things ready to make our trip to Lee's Ferry.

On Dec. 4, Bob and Buddy and a couple from Kingman, Arizona, came to Flagstaff and picked me up and then we came to Lee's Ferry and I had my first ride in a jeep from Flagstaff to Lee's Ferry. We camped there for the night. Then we got loaded up in our two motor boats and a float and started our trip up the Colorado River. We got part way up and the back part of our float sunk and we lost a lot of groceries, and I guess Buddy Fox got rather damp, too. We had most of our groceries and clothes in our boat, so they were O.K.

We are now at a camp about 25 miles from Lee's Ferry, with high rock walls on both sides of us, and the sun shines for us only from 10 a.m. till 2:00 in the afternoon. The men have caught quite a few beaver. We see a few chickadees, and they say there are mountain lions here, too. So far I haven't heard a coyote.

We have no snow as yet, but have had a little ice in our water tanks. The men have to get driftwood for fuel, but it is nice and dry. We expect Buddy Fox back between Christmas and New Year's, when we will get our mail and another supply of groceries.

We hope all the folks back at home have a Merry Xmas and a Happy New Year.

Mrs. Robert Jackson,
Oatman, Arizona.
c/o B.C. Fox.

Northern Lights

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1st Semester, 1946-47

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11th Grade—Della Annis, Geneva Avery, David Babbitt, Inez Bentley, Richard Bielski, Robert Blshaw, Beverly Bolinger, Helen Brown, Jane Bugby, Clare Burns, Patricia Castle, Wanda Dorch, Freda Dykehouse, Charles Feldhausen, Orlo Galvani, John Hanna, Edmond Holm, Joan Madill, Beatrice McDaniel, Gerald McEvans, Anita Melchar, Richard Miller, Bonita Millikin, Clifton Papendick, Edith Payne, Gretchen Payne, Earl Basemusen, Roy Reava, Lawrence Selley, Onalee Smith, Bernice Tinker, Lucille Wakely, Thomas Yoder.

10th Grade—Arla Barber, Bonnie Boger, Donna Carlson, James Crawford, Sarah Dutton, Joyce Hoerl, Beverly Hunt, Delores LaMotte, Beverly Macaulay, Mary Ellen Madill, Gloria Moore, Marjorie Nelson, Dick Owén, Jack Richardson, Patricia Skingley, Sara Smith, Warner Smith, Cynthia Stephan, Madeline Strachy, Norene Vincent, DeLauras Welch.

9th Grade—Phyllis Bennett, Arthur Bentley, Patricia Bishaw, James Case, Barbara Clough, Ruth Decker, Rose Dutton, James Feldhausen, Sue Giegling, Ilene Goodall, Robert Gritman, Nancy Hoesil, Marlene Jensen, James Kumpula,

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(Continued from first page) to be available at a time when such expenditures could have a healthy and stimulating effect upon employment.

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Governor Dewey warned legislators that "surpluses can quickly turn to deficits" and that the \$517,000,000 post-war reserve fund be INCREASED further by approximately \$100,000,000 from the current year's surplus. In a pleading for an increase of the state's reserve fund, Dewey declares: "Our state is in the strongest financial position in its history. Our job is to keep it strong."

From the above quotations it seems obvious that Governor Dewey has been confronted with pretty much the same demands for state funds as was Governor Harry F. Kelly in 1943, 1944, 1945 and 1946—the same years when Dewey was governor of New York. It is also apparent that Dewey, like Kelly,

would have opposed vigorously any additional diversion of state funds which in New York now is at the 55 percent point.

We wonder what Governor Dewey would recommend to the legislature if he was faced, as is Governor Sigler in Michigan today, with the prospect of a \$100,000,000 deficit in the state treasury at the end of the coming fiscal year. (Such is the forecast made last week by Michigan's new budget director.)

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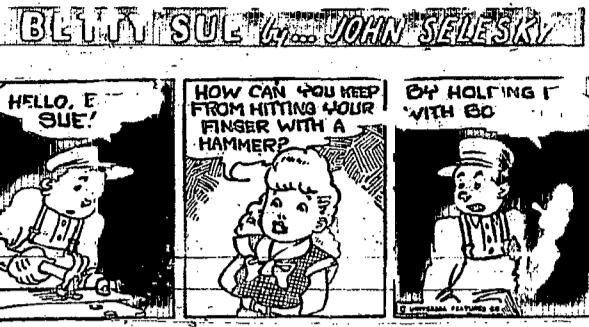
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STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Probate Court for the
County of Crawford

At a session of said Court, held

in said County, on the

20th day of January, 1947.

Present, Honorable Ray F.

Clement, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of

Alvin N. LaChappelle, Deceased.

William LaChappelle, Adminis-

trator of the Estate of Alvin N.

LaChappelle, Deceased, having fil-

ed in said Court his petition, pray-

ing for license to sell the interest

of said estate in certain real estate

therein described, Lots 1 and 2 of

Block 25, Roffe's Addition to the

City of Grayling, Michigan, ac-

cording to the recorded title there-

of, and also Lot 19, Block 4 of Oak

Hill Park, Grayling Township,

Crawford County, Michigan.

It is Ordered, That the 20th day

of February, 1947, at 10:00 o'clock

in the forenoon, at said Probate Of-

fice, be and is hereby appointed

for hearing said petition, and that

all the heirs at law, and all persons

interested in said estate appear be-

fore said Court, at said time and

place, to show cause why a license

AD COUNTY AVALANCHE, GRAYLING, MICHIGAN

CHAPTER VIII

"Definitely."
"Well, here's five to your one that
there's something cooking that's go-
ing to smell to heaven."

"You've no taker in me," McCale
grinned and lit a cigarette.

"Smart, as usual. The old dame acts
as though she was walking through a
bed dream but doesn't dare wake up."

"Very aptly put."

"She meets me last night, shows me
around, sort of impersonal-like. So far
as she was concerned, I might have been
the plumber's helper come to repair a leak. Very
cool and calm, but burning up with
something inside her. Acts all the
time as if she's scared stupid but
won't admit it if it kills her."

Rocky poured himself a second
cup of coffee and took a deep breath
before he continued.

"She went to her room early,
about nine. I didn't see her after
that. Veronica, the bride and joy," he
looked at McCale to see whether
he was amused by the play on words,
"of the old lady—she is that,
isn't she?—it sticks out all over—
stayed home all evening, too. She
was in the back library most of the
time."

"Did she look good to you?"

"Oh, yeah, if you like the placid
type. She had two visitors. Guess?"

"I'll buy it. Don't play guessing
games with me so early in the
morning."

"Well, the present and the past
Glamour Boy Number One, and
good old dog-like, ever lovin' Chris."

"Oh. He impressed you that
way? Christopher Storm, I mean?"

"Remember, I only got a short
gander at the past and present
crown princes, as they entered and
left. He was the second one, by
the way. Mr. Big came first."

"Go on."

"Well, I'd just got settled in the
silver and crockery department,
when Johnny Weismuller comes
swinging from tree to tree calling
for his mate. Such a flutter they get
into over him, don't they? The butler
scuttled around after him as if he
had just brought the fatted calf.

Then the bride-to-be comes down
the stairs in a flurry. But a flurry,
I said. And he just tells her he's off
to dinner with some friends. She
looks at him with the trust of a
bird fascinated by a python. You
know—what enormous eyes you
have, Grandmother. And off they
go to the library."

"I take it you didn't warm to
Romeo."

"Not me. Obvious as heck, don't
you think?"

"I don't know. The boy's got
something. Just what is it?"

"It's as old as the world, chil-

dar. The Vallancourt can just make his
eyelashes go boom."

"Take that needle out of your
arm. He's in love with the girl!"

"All right. So he's in love with her."

"What's your impression of the
girl? You didn't show a great deal
of enthusiasm."

"I guess I don't like 'em quite so
wide-eyed, chiel. She's nice. You
know what I mean—nice—and when
you've said that, you've said every-
thing. Right out of a Mignon Eber-
hart novel, if you get what I mean.
Just beautiful and wispy and too
dumb to take off her rose-colored
glasses."

Rocky had already settled for
himself the fact that Veronica Bigelow
was both beautiful and dumb. McCale
leaned back in his chair and
smiled, for Rocky was a good
guy, mostly amusing.

Searching for the coffee pot,
Duke's eyes slanted up quizzically
at Rocky as he said, "Well, boy,
what's the word, on Christopher
Storm, now that you've dusted ev-
eryone else off?"

Odd Goings On
In the Mansion

"J. P. Marquand has done him to
a turn, on both sides and in the
middle. More than once. That guy
was born to the Yankee purple, has
gone to the best schools, and never
stepped out of line in his life. He
may be a little shocked at the Bigelows,
but they are Bigelows, aren't they?
So they couldn't be wrong. Veronica
has tossed him overboard, but would he say a word about it?

Would he ride up in his Stanley
Steamer and rush her off to the
nearest Justice of the Peace before
she makes a fool of herself? No
siree. It just isn't done by people
in our set, doncha know?"

"He did come to see her."

"Oh, yes. Had a short confab
with her-in-the-library. Didn't get
a chance to eavesdrop, of course,
but I did see them when they said
goodnight at the door. He had the
most miserable little-boy-who-has-
been-kicked expression on his puss
when he kissed her good-by."

"He kissed her?"

"Don't let it throw you. It was
just the old 'I'll-be-a-sister-to-you'
act. She sort of put her head up
and he gave her a solemn brotherly
kiss on the forehead before he went
into the night like the last act of
an old melodrama. I could have
spit in his eye, the dope!"

"My, my. You are taking this to
heart."

"Not so you'd notice it. Well, do
I go on—in the order-of-their-ap-
pearance?" he asked, a sour smile
on his lips.

"Oh, of course. No offense, pal."

Rocky waited a moment, looking
at McCale skeptically, not quite
sure he wasn't being made fun of.
Then he resumed.

"Let's see. First there is Mr. Stro-
phen. Now there's a jumpy guy,
Surly. wedged in the bottle, in-

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CHAPTER VIII

She stopped running when she
reached it. For a moment, he
thought he saw someone else, some-
one in a gray raincoat walking
steadily away into the fog. He could
not tell whether it was a man or
a woman, for the gray of the coat
dissolved the figure into a mere
blur. It only struck him as odd
or come nearer. It just walked—
seatedly was the only word—away.

There was something terrible in
the unrefined walk, because directly
across from it and below where
they passed out, something quite
awful staggered, one hand to its
chest, the other groping out blindly.

It was a man, tall, wide, a dark
shadow of agony, seeking to climb
the Bigelow stairs.

The doorknob pealed sharply, a
ring of sheer despair.

Miss Bigelow and McCale, in a
single movement, ran out of the
drawing room. McCale reached the
stairs first, tumbling down them
two, three at a time. The bell was
ringing now, steadily, a shriek, as
though someone leaned heavily
against it.

The butler, King, came out of the
back hall, a sour look on his face.

But McCale was already wrenching
open the door. A light went up in
the hall as the startled manservant
pushed a button. For a moment,
no one seemed to be there. The
door-gaped-wide and black. Then,
from around its edge, a bulky ob-
ject slid, slumped to its knees,
lunged inward, then cut flat.

"Man or woman?" he snapped.

"I—I couldn't tell. I was watch

CELEBRATE FIRST WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. J.A.F. Westerholm were pleasantly surprised on Jan.

25: when relatives and friends dropped in to help them celebrate their first wedding anniversary. A delicious dinner was served from 5 to 7 o'clock, and the happy couple were recipients of many lovely gifts.

Service Men Remember Church's Welcome

As evidence of the deep impression made upon service men and women by the Fifth Avenue Presbyterian Church in New York City hospitality during the war years, Mrs. Herbert Wolff, summer resident at Lake Margrethe, who was chairman of the Military and Naval Services Committee, received over 50 Christmas Greetings this past holiday season from former service men and women of England, Scotland, Australia, Canada, and all parts of our own country.

One of the most striking came from J. B. Chieffley, Prime Minister of Australia, who wrote from Canberra:

"On behalf of the Government of the Commonwealth of Australia, I desire to thank you for the hospitality and courtesies which you extended to Australian service men during the war."

"Apart from the pleasure given to the men concerned, your kindness and that of other United States citizens who similarly interested themselves in our sailors, soldiers and air force personnel has been greatly appreciated by their relatives in Australia and has contributed much towards the cause of goodwill and understanding between the people of this country and those of the United States of America."

The letter recalled another communication received from Australia by Mrs. Wolff, as a result of which a father and other relatives of a flier lost in the war were able to have photographs of the young man, Sgt. Charles L. George, of the RAAF, passing through New York, was entertained by the Church committee. His photograph, made by Dr. Orrin Sage Wightman, was sent to his family in Victoria. Later it developed that the flier had left his homeland without having any pictures taken, so that the ones supplied through Mrs. Wolff's committee and the kindness of Dr. Wightman were the only ones available.

BITS O' TALK

NOTICE—There will be no Wednesday night Bible Class this week —January 29—as there will be a P.T.A. meeting at the South Side School. The meetings will be resumed again next week.

Mr. and Mrs. William Vallad, formerly of Grayling, have moved back here to make their home. They will be the new caretakers at the Pahonhee Club.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Stephan of Flint spent the week-end here with Mr. and Mrs. John Stephan. Sunday guests of the Roy Milnes family were Mr. and Mrs. Harold Flemming and sons, Douglas and David, of Clare.

TABLE MODEL RADIOS—Large assortment for immediate delivery. See our window display. B-C-D Equipment Co., Inc. 1-30-31. Emil Giegling left Tuesday for Chicago on business.

Week-end guests of the Maurice Gormans were Mrs. Gorman's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Vogler and daughter Adele, of Flint.

A son, Michael Lee, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Gorman, January 18. The little fellow weighed 7 lb. 5½ ounces.

Mrs. William Smith of Bay City arrived in Grayling last Tuesday to spend the remainder of the winter with her sister, Mrs. James Lynch.

CAR BATTERIES now available at McEvans Motor Sales.

Richard Rasmussen, Clyde and Robert Anthony left by car, Tuesday of last week for Los Angeles, California, to visit Richard's sisters, the Misses Mary and Laura, and aunts, Mrs. W. J. Aberle and Mrs. Alfred Underhill.

Notice—Our telephone number has been changed to 3861. M. J. Marshall.

Mrs. A. E. Mason and Mrs. Leo Battle Creek were week-end guests

Koerper left Sunday to spend a few days in Detroit.

Mrs. Signe Randolph spent Monday in Roscommon on business.

Mrs. Harold Rasmussen entertained her club at a dessert bridge Wednesday of last week. Mrs. Ernest Borcher held high score and Mrs. Joe Cinciala got the consolation prize.

Don't forget the Danish Supper, Feb. 4. Serving from 5:30 to 7:00, at Danebod Hall.

Miss Betty Macauley, who has been a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin LeButt the past week, left for her home Sunday.

Miss Louise Annis of Midland spent the week-end at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Annis. Francis of Lansing also spent the week-end at home. He was accompanied by Miss Marie Worgul.

There will be an O. E. S. and Masonic Lodge dance and card party at the hall, Feb. 1, at 9:00 p.m.

The caretaker's house of the summer home on the South Branch of W. C. Devereaux of Detroit was completely destroyed by fire last Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Birdsall have gone to Chicago, where they expect to remain until April 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Flower spent Sunday in Alger as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tim Strouhauer.

If you are having trouble with your feet, why not try a new pair of Knapp Shoes from Bill's Shoe Repair.

The Lakeside Drive Club met with Mrs. Elmer Birdsall, Tuesday of last week, and Mrs. Maurice Dore was hostess to the group this Tuesday.

William Strope is quite ill at a Detroit Hospital. His many friends wish him a speedy recovery. The Stropes have been summer residents at Lake Margrethe for 28 years.

Week-end guests of Miss Jean Rasmussen were Miss Gertrude Tanner of Essexville and John Tanner of Bay City.

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Don Corwin, who is attending radio school in Detroit, spent the week-end at his home here for the winter sports. Miss Jeanette Greenfield of Clinton was weekend guest at the Charles Corwin farm, as was Everett Corwin of Flint.

A. C. Olson, Sr., and A. C., Jr., were the week-end guests of Mrs. N. P. Olson.

Among the various clubs to donate funds to the March of Dimes are the Cheerful Givers of Lovells (\$10.00), the St. Mary's Altar Society (\$10.00), and the Woman's Club (\$5.00).

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Henry Jordan bagged a 25-lb. wildcat, Monday. Miss Lillian Jordan spent the week-end in Merrill, visiting at the home of Mrs. Nellie Kalashar. Her aunt, Mrs. Annie Wood, who had been a guest at the Jordan home, accompanied her to Bay City to visit relatives in McIvor.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl W. Johnson were hosts to the Wednesday Bridge Club at pot-luck dinner last Wednesday evening. Guests included Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Mason, Mrs. Ella Wilcox and Wilhelm Raas. Miss Margretha Bauman and Emil Giegling held high score and Mrs. Emil Giegling and A. E. Mason held second high.

Don't forget the Danish Supper, Feb. 4. Serving from 5:30 to 7:00, at Danebod Hall.

Woman's Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Carl W. Johnson next Monday evening. It promises to be a very interesting evening, as each of the ladies is to decorate a hat and a prize will be given for the best hat.

A group of friends met at the cabin of Mr. and Mrs. Marius Hanson last Thursday evening, in celebration of Mr. Hanson's birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Kocher and Mr. and Mrs. D. Parshall, of Battle Creek, were Sunday guests at the E.R. Petty home.

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at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Don Weaver and family.

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There will be a regular meeting of Grayling Chapter No. 83, O. E. S., on Wednesday evening, February 5th. Each member please bring a valentine.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Perry and daughter Mary Lou, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Perry and Mr. and Mrs. George Horton, of Cheboygan, were Sunday guests at the William LaRush home. They also visited the Claude Cardinals and Mrs. James Perry while here.

Week-end guests of the Claude Cardinals were Mrs. Albert Sly and son Tommy, of Dearborn. Mrs. Cardinal left Wednesday for a visit in Pontiac.

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Mr. and Mrs. Charles Tinker spent Sunday with relatives in Mancelona.

The Carroll Vincent family of Flint visited Mrs. Vincent's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Sherman for the Carnival week-end.

Dominick Galvani of Beaver Creek is a patient at Mercy Hospital, receiving treatment.

Miss Donna Giffin of Gaylord was down to spend the Carnival week-end with her sister, Mrs. Clifford Green. Edward Giffin of Owosso, father of these ladies, spent the week-end here.

Mr. and Mrs. Herb Olson are the

proud parents of a 9 lb. 6¾ oz. boy born January 25 at Mercy Hospital. He will be known as Roger Leon.

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Mr. and Mrs. Louis Cariveau left for California, Tuesday, to visit in Los Angeles and other spots. They plan to return the middle of April.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Fischer and Mr. and Mrs. John Balda, of Traverse City were Sunday guests of the Carl Richardson family.

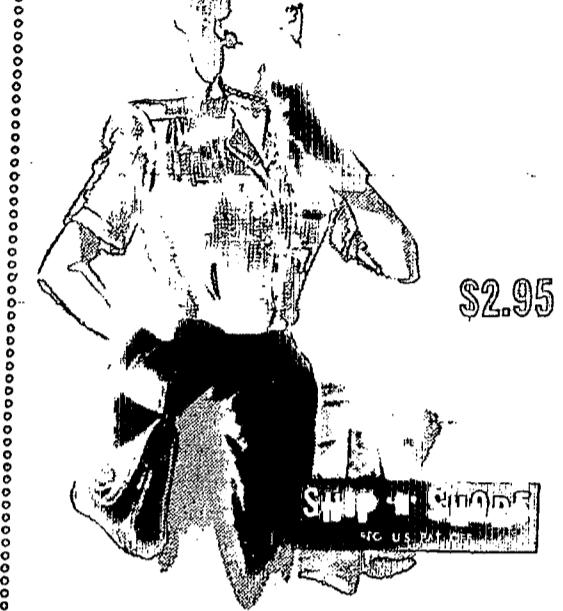
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BITS O' TALK

Dr. R. L. Barrus, who is visiting in Ovid, was in Grayling, Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Babbitt and son Howard spent Sunday visiting Mrs. Babbitt's mother, Mrs. Frank Barber, in Roscommon.

Don't forget the Danish Supper, Feb. 4. Serving from 5:30 to 7:00, at Danebed Hall.

The Ladies' Aid of the Latter Day Saints Church met Wednesday at the home of Mrs. George Stephan. Mrs. Helen Mathewson is acting woman's leader during the absence of Mrs. Max Laage.

Mrs. Max Laage and daughter Margaret, of Harrison, stopped in Grayling Saturday, en route from Gaylord, where they had been on business, to their home in Harrison.

Week-end guests at the John Brady home were their children, Jean, Richard and Jerome, and Mrs. Arthur Weideman, of Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Lemler spent a week or so in Grayling, and have left to spend some time in Texas and New Mexico.

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Guests of the Roy Trudgeons and Mrs. Thomas Cassidy for the Carnival week-end were Howard Trudgeon and daughter Barbara, and Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Perkins, of Lansing, and Betty Jane Hewitt of Bay City. Gwen Ahman, who was here visiting relatives, called on them.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Barton and children, Donald and Maxine, of Eloise, were guests at Shoppenagans Inn for the Carnival weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Casper Lozen and guests of Mt. Clemens, spent the weekend at their cabin. "Wildwood."

Approximately 40 Chevrolet dealers met at Shoppenagans Inn, Tuesday, for a luncheon and business meeting.

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Mr. and Mrs. George Daniels and children, Mary Ann, George and Marc, of Kalkaska, spent Sunday with Mrs. Frank May and daughter Frances.

Gary Dunham celebrated his third birthday, Tuesday, January 28.

Mr. and Mrs. Art May and son Roger left for Rogers City, Friday, to visit Mrs. May's mother, Mrs. E. K. Shurtum. Mr. May returned Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Warner and Mr. and Mrs. W. Barnes, of Detroit, spent the weekend at K. P. Lake FOR SALE - 3,000-watt A.C. Light Plant, only 7 months old. Also National Cash Register. Patrick Hotel Lovells. 30

Mrs. Reuben Rowe and Ronald Rowe of Calumet were over-night guests of the Wesley Kumpulas, Monday. They were en route to their home from Detroit. Ray, Manty and Rex Garlic of Kalamazoo were weekend guests. Mr. Kumpula at this writing is confined to his home with a very bad cold.

William Lee Richards and brother-in-law, of Detroit, came up on the snow train and while here visited his mother, Mrs. Oscar Charlton. Another son, Fredburn Richards, wife and son Lynn, of Charlevoix, spent the weekend.

Mrs. Clifford Fuller of Marshall spent from Saturday till Tuesday in Grayling. She came for the winter sports and to visit her mother, Mrs. Susie Wythe, and sister, Mrs. Paul Feldhauser, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Buron and friends, of Port Huron, were weekend guests at the home of Mrs. Emma Weiss. Also present were Mr. and Mrs. Budd Smith of Mancelona.

Mrs. Theodore Morris and



ANGEL OF BELSEN . . . Mrs. Sucher Frydrych, the former Luba Tryszynska, who won the title of "Angel of Belsen," when she nursed 65 Dutch children back to health after they had been stricken with typhus at Nazi concentration camp, shown on arrival in the United States. The heroic girl was decorated by the Netherlands government and others.

daughter, Mrs. Franklin Kent, visited the former's daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Miller, several days last week. They left Friday for Detroit to spend some time with Mrs. Morris' other daughter, Mrs. Ralph Norton.

Miss Lillian Hartig of Saginaw arrived Thursday to spend the remainder of the week with the Payne girls. She returned home Sunday night.

On page 7 we have an item stating that Mr. and Mrs. Louis Carriveau left for California Tuesday. We got this morsel on what we thought was good authority. Imagine our surprise on Wednesday when the former stepped into our office. "Tain't so folks, but will be later."

Mr. and Mrs. Sheldon Schweinsberg of Bay City were weekend guests of Dr. and Mrs. J. F. Cook.

Frank Schmidt returned home Saturday morning after four weeks spent in Los Angeles, Calif. He had accompanied his uncle, H. B. Schmidt, to that city.

The Roscommon Chapter of I. O. O. F. 264, was at the hall visiting Grayling Lodge 137 Tuesday evening. Fifteen were present from Roscommon. The Grayling men present wonder where their members were.

The Carl Richardsons would like to know who is responsible for breaking their garage windows. Not being content with breaking eight the guilty party returned Tuesday night and made the total window panes broken 13.

Mrs. James E. McNeil and two children of Saginaw, spent last week visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Wheeler. Mr. McNeil arrived for the weekend and accompanied them home.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Fletcher and Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Overly, of Detroit, spent the weekend at the Fletcher cabin on Eagle Point.

Mrs. Naomi Nellist of Detroit, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Wheeler, and 1938 Winter Sports Queen, had as her guest for the Winter Sports, Dr. G. J. Finkel, Dr. S. S. Raizin, Miss Charlotte Sanders and Mr. and Mrs. Robert McIntyre, of Detroit.

Mrs. Frank Bond left Tuesday for Olivet to spend some time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Taylor.

Keep in mind the date, Tuesday, February 18. There will be an Alumni basketball game for the benefit of the P. T. A.

The Ladies' Aid of Michelson

Memorial Church will meet at 1:00 o'clock p.m., Friday, February 7, at the church for a potluck.

Week-end guests of the Liland Smock family were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Knox and Miss Audrey Gannon of Saginaw, and Gerald Brown of Flint.

REPORT OF TAG SALE

Friday night at the Pellston game, Mrs. Carl Richardson, chairman of this drive, took in \$20.97. Saturday and Sunday, the band students took in \$70.60, for a total of \$91.57. A prize of one of the new Grayling Green Wave monogrammed T-shirts was awarded to George Kesseler, who took in \$24.15, which was the greatest amount taken in by any student.

A week-end train will leave Detroit for Mackinaw Friday, February 7, at 5:30 and return to Detroit again Sunday evening. This train makes better time than the daily midnight train which is a 6½ hour trip from Detroit to Grayling. This special takes approximately 4 hours and 40 minutes for the trip.

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MISSONELSON MEMORIAL CHURCH
Pastor: Rev. R. C. Puffer
Church School: 10:00 a.m.
Divine Worship: 11:00 a.m.

GRAYLING EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH
Sunday Services:
9:45 A. M.—Sunday School
11 A. M.—Worship.
Everyone is welcome.
Svend Holm, Pastor

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH
Chestnut St. and US-27
Sunday Services
10:00 A. M.—Sunday School
11:15 A. M.—Morning Service
6:45 P. M.—Young People
7:30 P. M.—Evening Service
Midweek Services

Thursday—
7:30 P. M.—Prayer and Everybody's Bible Class.
Pastor, F. D. Barnes.

FREDERIC BIBLE CHURCH
Corner Shell'snburger and State
Sunday Services
Sunday School—10:00 a. m.
Sermon—11: a. m.
Evening Worship—7:30 p. m.
Friday—7:30 p. m.
Come and worship with us.
Bertha Davis, Pastor

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICE
in invited.

Informal Christian Science services are held on Sunday mornings at 11:00 a.m. at the home of Mrs. Elmer Chaffee, Arbutus Beach on Otsego Lake on U.S.-27, twenty miles north of Grayling. The public is cordially invited.

Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latterday Saints

Church School Worship and Sermon, Sunday, 10:30 a. m. Visual aid and Flannelgraph Pictures are used to illustrate the themes. The public is welcome.

Elder Roy Newberry, Pastor.

Winter Carnival
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took care of a large number of

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Coach Munn and his two assistants were also guests of honor at a Saturday noon luncheon at Shoppenagans Inn, which was attended by Grayling and Crawford County Michigan State alumni and students. John Peterson welcomed the three men to the city and carnival, and "Biggie" responded with a short informal talk.

Saturday morning brought good winter sports at the park, until warm temperatures again forced a close-down of the slides and ice rink in what was to be a futile effort to hold them for Sunday.

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"It's a great day for Grayling and Michigan," McLaughlin said, "because this Carnival again climaxes another progressive year in the development of winter sports in Michigan."

The Tourist Council Secretary complimented the Chamber's Winter Sports Committee, headed by Art Clough, for their part in the Carnival, and also the Conservation Department for providing the park and its facilities.

Due to the soft ice, an hour-long skating show was called off after the skaters from Ann Arbor, Flint, Saginaw, Detroit and Windsor had donned their costumes and made several attempts to skate on the melting rink.

Trains Arrive

Besides the hundreds of cars driven into Grayling for the traditional big three-day weekend, two special snow trains, the first since the war, arrived in Grayling Sunday noon. The first to arrive was a Jack Davis-sponsored train from Bay City, bearing over 400 winter sports fans. After the train's load was efficiently taken to the park by trucks under the direction of a committee headed by Rolla Failing, a second train, sponsored

by Paul Henry, arrived from De-

soto. About 400 more winter sport-minded folks were on the second snow train, including Mrs. Ethel Simes of Detroit, mother of Queen June. The Queen and her court, were on hand to welcome both trains when they arrived.

In addition to the two trains, several chartered buses were here for the festivities. One bus was chartered by Holger Peterson of Detroit, former Grayling resident, and more than 30 business associates and friends of his were on board. Another bus from Detroit brought 40 Girl Scouts. They were accompanied by their leader, Mrs. J. A. Dingham, daughter of Postmaster and Mrs. James McDonnell of Grayling. Two special buses brought a large group from Houghton Lake, and several more were here from other Michigan cities.

"Skyline," an ever-growing ski center 5 miles south of Grayling, was also having a big weekend, with a special bus of over 40 among the many skiers. The bus was from Bay City and was chartered by the Bay City Ski Club.

Frederic News

Mrs. Laura Wallace has returned from a visit in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. William Leng went to Bay City, Monday, to drive home a new Dodge truck and new Plymouth.

Vern Wallace left Monday night, to spend the balance of the winter in Buchanan with his daughter, Mrs. Marlin Weaver.

Fishermen are very busy these days. They all seem to be getting good catches from Bradford Lake.

A goodly number of our town witnessed the crowning of M. Michigan Snow Queen in Grayling Sunday.

Three of our citizens visited Petoskey, Monday. Not me, snow there. An ideal place for a winter vacation.

Mrs. J. E. Tobin is home from her visit in Bay City.

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